COMMUNICATION FOR FILING OF PROCESSING AND RETENTION FEE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.21(l) AND EXPRESS REQUEST FOR ABANDONMENT

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Sir:

This Communication is notification that a processing and retention fee pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.21(l) is being submitted for the pending application. The processing and retention fee are filed to retain the filing date of the present application, U.S. Serial No. 10/683,572 for the purpose of filing a continuing application as outlined in 37 C.F.R. §1.53(f) and §1.78(a) and in the M.P.E.P. § 202.02 and 601.01(a).

Applicant expressly requests abandonment of the present application subsequent to processing the present application for the purpose of retaining the filing date for the purpose of filing a continuing application, and expressly requests that application, once abandoned, be removed from the publication queue.

The processing fee and the fee for a one-month extension of time, with a Petition for Extension of Time, are enclosed.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees, including extension fees, which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-2319 (Our Order No. 467637-408 (33537/US)/DJB).

Respectfully submitted,

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